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DAILY WEATHER REPORT

Snow tonight, Tuesday cloudy and colder with light snow in west and north portions.

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AVALANCHE OF BILLS READY TO DROP INTO LEGISLATIVE HOPPER

State Senate Meets at Four and House at Nine This Evening

BUDGET NEARLY READY

Governor James To Submit Such Soon; Real Work Then Begins

By Raymond Wilcox
I. N. S. Staff Correspondent
HARRISBURG, Jan. 27.—(INS)—An avalanche of bills will be dropped into the legislative hoppers today as the General Assembly reconvenes for its third week of interrupted sessions. Hundreds are said to be ready.

The Senate will meet at 4 and the House at 9 p. m. Both houses have been in recess for two weeks.

As none of the standing committees have met yet the legislators will have no calendars to consider. Committees are expected to hold their first meetings this evening, however, and the first bills may be reported out tomorrow, if the assembly remains in session that long. So far the legislature has met on two days, January 7 and 13, with 89 bills already introduced.

The session's real work will begin when Gov. Arthur H. James submits his biennial budget. He has stated this will probably be a week from today at which time he will again address the legislature in person.

The Shaw House Committee, which has been investigating the WPA sewing dispute, may make a report tonight of its progress in settling the controversy between the Governor and the State WPA which threatens to close down 250 sewing projects employing 12,000 women.

The Shaw Committee was scheduled to meet in the morning with Col. Philip Mathews, State WPA administrator, and Budget Secretary Edward B. Logan at the Capitol. Governor James refused to authorize the expenditure of \$10 a woman per month, as Mathews has requested, asserting that the \$250 a person paid now by the State to support the sewing project is sufficient.

Republican members of the House are slated to introduce bills with the recommendations of the joint State government commission on revision of the State's unemployment compensation laws. The bills will suggest reduction from three to two weeks of the waiting period before unemployed workers can obtain their jobless benefits and an increase in the weekly minimum payment from \$7.50 to \$8. A resolution will also be introduced memorializing Congress to amend the national law so as to permit the state to reduce its unemployment compensation tax.

Democratic assemblymen are ready with legislation of their own intended to liberalize the unemployment compensation laws even more than the Republican-dominated state government commission. The Democrats will recommend reduction of the waiting period to only one week and an increase in the maximum benefits.

Bills carrying out Governor James' recommendations, made in his opening address to the Legislature, are also expected to be introduced tonight. The Governor recommended an extension of civil service, creation of a State WPA, revision of the milk laws, reapportionment and amendment of the permanent registration act.

LOCAL WEATHER OBSERVATIONS

FOR 24 HOUR PERIOD ENDING 9 A. M. AT ROHM & HAAS WEATHER OBSERVATORY BRISTOL, PA.

Temperature Readings
Maximum 35 F
Minimum 26 F
Range 9 F

Hourly Temperatures
8 a. m. yesterday 26
9 27
10 31
11 33
12 noon 34
1 p. m. 34
2 34
3 35
4 34
5 33
6 32
7 30
8 29
9 29
10 28
11 28
12 midnight 28
1 a. m. today 29
2 29
3 28
4 29
5 28
6 28
7 28
8 30

P. C. Relative Humidity 93
Precipitation (inches)21
(Snowfall)25

a. m. Barometric Pressure ins. 30.44
8.00

TIDES AT RISTOL

High water 2.07 a. m., 2.32 p. m.
Low water 9.14 a. m., 9.41 p. m.

Joan Bonham is Feted On Her Ninth Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. George Bonham, Wilson avenue, gave a birthday party Saturday afternoon for their daughter, Joan, who was nine years old.

The afternoon was enjoyed playing games. An amateur program was arranged, and prizes were given to Janice McEuen and William Wren. George Bonham won the spelling bee contest. Prizes for other games were awarded to Maurice Bloodgood and Charles Jones.

Refreshments were served in the dining room, and the table was decorated in pink and blue. Favors were paper hats and baskets of candy. Joan received many gifts.

Others present: Laverne and Katharine Wren, Lorraine Grotke, Anna May Rounsaville, Joan Bonham, Jack Waters, Jack Bonham.

GEORGE S. VAN COURT TO INSTRUCT IN BRIDGE

Comes To Bristol Adult Evening School With Wide Experience

STARTS FEBRUARY 3rd

Announcement has just been made that the Bristol Adult School has engaged the services of George S. Van Court, well-known bridge expert and instructor in the Culbertson system of playing, to instruct classes in beginners, intermediate, and advanced bridge, beginning Monday evening, February 3rd.

Mrs. Van Court comes to Bristol with an unusual wealth of experience gained through years of private and class instruction in all phases of the game. She is a certified Master Culbertson teacher, qualified to train and examine teachers for the Culbertson Studios. She is the author of a booklet summarizing and outlining the essential principles of bridge, a booklet which is now in its ninth printing, and is being sold widely not only in America, but also in England, and even in China.

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Ten Cases of Layettes Shipped By Red Cross

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 27.—Ten large wooden packing cases containing layettes made by the volunteers of the Southeastern Pennsylvania Red Cross Chapter were sent by truck to Baltimore last week to be put aboard the SS "Cold Harbor" which will sail this week to Spain and unoccupied France with American Red Cross relief supplies.

These 185 layettes—of 25 garments each—include 4625 baby garments which have been made by the women volunteers of the local Chapter.

The major part of this mercy cargo is made up of food and clothing for children and includes:
For unoccupied France—500 tons powdered whole milk; 250 tons evaporated and condensed milk; 25 tons of children's clothing; (chiefly layettes and sweaters produced by women volunteers in Red Cross chapters; and 100,000 worth of essential drugs and vitamin concentrates. The drugs are insulin, quinine, aspirin, iodine, camphor, bicarbonate of soda, argyrol, 2 million tablets of sulphapyridine, 250,000 pounds of sulphapyridine, 2,800 bottles of digitaline, etc.

For Spain, 4,500 tons of whole wheat flour; 250 tons of powdered whole milk; 250 tons evaporated and condensed milk.
All of these American relief supplies will be distributed under the direction of staff members of the American Red Cross. Six men have been sent to Spain to set up warehousing and distribution facilities, and several additional American Red Cross men have been sent to France to join the American Red Cross delegate to Europe, who now has headquarters in Vichy, and who will direct the relief operation in unoccupied France.

All relief supply containers in the cargo are to be marked as follows: "Gift of the people of the United States through the American Red Cross," in order further to safeguard the distribution.

SNOW AND ICE ON ROADS REQUIRE SAFER DRIVING

HARRISBURG, Jan. 27.—Dangerous driving conditions resulting from snow and ice require safer driving, T. Elmer Transeau, State Director of Highway Safety, said today.

"While the state will continue to do everything practicable to keep highways open and safe as snow removal crews can make them, motorists should co-operate with decreased speed and logical methods for prevention of accidents caused by winter," Transeau said. "Records show a 35 to 45 per cent increase in accidents in northern states during cold months when there is less travel."

"National Safety Council research, which included over 3,000 tests on Lake Cadillac, Mich., has recently proved inadequate traction and obscured vision are the primary dangers. Every driver should test brakes for simultaneous gripping and have tire chains ready for use when needed, check conditions of windshield wiper and defroster; make sure lights are

LATEST NEWS

Received from International News Service Over Special Teletype News Wire.

Japan Prepares Navy For Worst

Tokyo, Jan. 27.—Japan's navy is being prepared for "the worst" in the light of the U. S. Naval Expansion program, Naval Minister Admiral Oikawa declared today.

Wilhelm II is 82 Today
Bonn, Holland, Jan. 27.—Seated in his private den, surrounded by military maps of Europe and North Africa, Wilhelm II, former Emperor of Germany, today celebrated his 82nd birthday.

Hale and hearty, the ex-Kaiser has been closely following the progress of the European War.

British Planes Bomb Hanover

London, Jan. 27.—British planes bombed objectives at the German city of Hanover during the night, the Air Ministry announced today. A communiqué said that "a small force of RAF planes bombed industrial targets at Hanover." All the planes returned safely.

Committee Confers Secretly With Hull

Washington, Jan. 27.—The Senate Foreign Affairs Committee went into secret session with Secretary of State Hull today to question him on this Government's knowledge of British "war aims" and to determine the nature of the missions of Harry Hopkins and Wendell Willkie who are in England now.

Decision to exclude the public was reached after brief testimony by Hull in open hearing in which the Secretary of State reiterated his stand that this nation must give Britain all possible material to ensure control of the seas by the democracies.

Committee opponents of the Administration's foreign policy planned a rapid fire of questions in the secret session. They indicated that they would seek information on the possibility of a negotiated peace, just what commitment, if any, the United States had made to Great Britain, the "inside view" of England's chances of victory and the status of Hopkins, and the GOP's Willkie.

Nazi Aviator Held By German Consular

New York, Jan. 27.—Baron Franz von Verrier, the young Nazi aviator who was seized at Ogdensburg, N. Y., after escaping from a Canadian prison train, was held in strict seclusion by German Consular officials here today.

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\$279,000 BUDGET IS SET BY PERKASIE COUNCIL

\$144,000 of Sum Represents Balance of Proceeds From Approved Bond Issue

SEE \$33,964 REVENUE

PERKASIE, Jan. 27.—Expenditures of \$279,000 are provided for in a budget tentatively adopted by Borough Council. Of this amount \$144,000 represents the balance of proceeds of the recently approved bond issue which is included in the cash to be handled during the year. This sum will be turned over to banks and individuals holding short term notes against the borough.

In the Borough Department, Council anticipated a revenue in 1940 of \$33,964.10 and anticipated expenses during the year are \$27,104 leaving an unappropriated balance of \$6,860.19. Included in the anticipated revenue is a \$3000 item which will be transferred from the Electric Department.

The Highway Department will again receive the major appropriation.

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Here and There in Bucks County Towns

Thirteen applicants for membership were received at the annual dinner meeting of Bucks County Fish, Game and Forestry Association, held at Doylestown Thursday evening.

The officers elected at that time included: President, Charles A. Rowe, Doylestown; vice-president, Charles S. Kratz, Hartsville; secretary, Earl D. Blair; recording secretary, Ervin Cooper, Doylestown; treasurer, Robert Irwin, Doylestown.

The executive committee members for 1941 include: Harold J. Barndt, Doylestown, chairman; Wilson H. Swartley, Harvey F. Snyder, Warren Fretz, Doylestown; Charles S. Kratz, Hartsville; Thomas Ettenger, Doylestown; Robert G. Hendricks and George Housell, Doylestown.

When the League of Women Voters.

MAN DROPS DEAD AS HE WALKS TO EMPLOYMENT

Joseph G. Doan, 64, Fatally Stricken On Clymer St., Early This Morning

WAS NATIVE OF BRISTOL

A native of Bristol, Joseph G. Doan, 64, died suddenly this morning after being stricken on Clymer street, while enroute to his employment.

Mr. Doan was employed as fireman at the T. L. Leedom Co., and left his home at 616 Swain street, this morning at his usual time. He walked through the storm and got as far as Clymer street when he suffered a heart attack. He sat down on the porch in front of the residence of Mrs. Sarah Fenton. Mrs. Fenton's daughter, Georgianna, saw the ill man sitting on the porch.

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Sudden Death of Bristol Man Believed Due To Fall

Sudden death of Frank William McNichol, 265 McKinley street, which occurred in Philadelphia General Hospital, yesterday afternoon, is believed to be due to injuries suffered in a fall in Philadelphia more than a month ago.

Mr. McNichol, the husband of Ella M. McNichol (nee Dekin), who was employed as a machinist at the Philadelphia Navy Yard, had complained of feeling ill during the past two weeks, and his condition growing worse on Saturday he was removed to the hospital, death occurring the following day.

He is survived by his wife; a sister, Mrs. John Boylan, of California; and two brothers, Patrick and Charles McNichol, both of Germantown.

The deceased was a communicant of St. Mark's R. C. Church; and was affiliated with Philadelphia Lodge, No. 54, L. O. O. M. He had resided in Bristol for the past 12 years.

The funeral will be held from 265 McKinley street, on Thursday at nine a. m., with High Requiem Mass in St. Mark's Church at 10 o'clock. Burial in St. Mark's Cemetery will be in charge of the Robert C. Ruehl, funeral director. Friends may call Wednesday evening.

Meet Today To Discuss Sewing Project Solution

HARRISBURG, Jan. 27.—(INS)—Federal and State officials will meet today with a House investigating committee in an effort to find a solution to the WPA sewing controversy which threatens 12,000 women with the loss of their jobs.

WPA administrator Philip Mathews said he had been invited to meet at the Capitol with the committee headed by Rep. William A. Shaw, (D), Allegheny, its chairman. Budget Secretary Edward B. Logan said he would represent the governor.

It was expected that the Shaw committee would make a report to the House when the Legislature reconvenes later today on the dispute between Mathews and Gov. Arthur H. James over the extent of the State's contribution to the 250 WPA sewing projects in the State. Mathews has asked for \$10 a woman per month from the State, but the governor has refused to authorize the payment of more than the present \$2.50 on the grounds that the State has "overpaid" on other projects.

The projects were originally scheduled to close down today unless the additional funds were forthcoming, but a three-weeks' extension was granted on Wednesday.

He Said He Was To Blame For Accident

(By "The Stroller")

It is seldom that a person involved in an accident thinks he is the one to blame for that accident and almost always it is "the other fellow's fault."

So you can imagine the surprise on the part of Thomas Harper, on duty at police headquarters, Saturday, when in walks a man who claims that he was fully responsible for an accident which had occurred. The man in question did not make the slightest attempt to shift the blame but assumed full responsibility for an accident.

Musical Program Thoroughly Enjoyed in Methodist Church

A congregation of 150 gathered in Bristol Methodist Church last evening for the special musical program presented by a string ensemble from the American Conservatory of Music.

R. Joseph Martini was the director of the numbers, and also played a valuable Stradivarius violin, procured from a noted Philadelphia violin collector for the occasion.

The church choir gave selections; and in addition to the numbers by Mr. Martini, and the string ensemble, presentations were made by James Douglas, vocalist; Louis Sweeney, church organist; and Richard Davis, guitar soloist.

TRAFFIC MOVES SLOWLY OVER SLIPPERY ROADS

2 1/2 Inches of Snow Covers Thin Coating of Ice; All Highways Open

FLAWS ARE OUT EARLY

With a snow-fall which started last evening, reaching a depth here of 2 1/2 inches by eight o'clock this morning, traffic moved slowly over the thoroughfares of Bucks County and adjacent territory. The travel conditions throughout the area were reported as slippery, a thin coating of ice being covered by the snow.

Plows were out at an early hour, and all thoroughfares were reported open, but motorists were moving cautiously, with many skids being observed.

Highway crews in addition to using plows to clear the thoroughfares of snow, placed cinders at intersections and on hills to aid car operators.

The Pennsylvania Railroad had crews of men busy at an early hour keeping switches open, and adding in the general movement of railroad traffic.

The 2 1/2 inches of snowfall from last evening to eight o'clock this morning was the equivalent of 2 1/2 inches of rain, according to the report given at the Rohm & Haas weather observatory here.

The lowest temperature for the 24-hour period ended at eight this morning.

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Willkie Pleased With English Spirit

LONDON, Jan. 27.—(INS)—"Democracy must survive and England must survive—that is the one thing in which we are interested," Wendell L. Willkie declared today, less than 24 hours after his arrival in London by airplane.

Rising early, the former Republican presidential candidate motored to the British ministry of information and there replied to questions fired at him by 300 news correspondents.

Willkie faced his questioners in the ministry's main conference hall and patiently answered volleys of queries that touched on virtually every topic of current interest.

"I am enormously impressed," he said, "that this conference can occur in an England under attack, and that you can come here for free discussion. In the past few hours I have been able to mix with English men and women. I have found their spirit magnificent."

"I like their nerve. I have not found anybody yet who is downhearted."

POSTPONE DRIVE

The Salvation Army drive for funds in this territory has been postponed until further notice, due to inclement weather. The drive was scheduled for this afternoon, with the Girl Reserves of Bristol high school planning a house-to-house canvass.

THE GREAT GAME OF POLITICS

By FRANK R. KENT

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Another Court Vacancy

Washington, Jan. 25.

FOR more than a year now a clear majority of New Dealers — Justices Black, Douglas, Reed, Frankfurter and Murphy — have been in control of the Supreme Court, which means that the President has been in control. The retirement of Justice McReynolds does not change that situation. For more than a year his dissenting voice has been regularly, consistently but futilely raised.

ALL his going means is that there no longer is on the bench a stalwart, unwavering, wholehearted opponent of the entire New Deal philosophy of centralized, bureaucratic government and Federal regulation. There are three others—Hughes, Stone and Roberts—

to whom parts of the New Deal are extremely distasteful, who distrust many of its policies and think there is danger in its direction. But, unlike Justice McReynolds, they do not dissent from everything any more than they approve of everything.

FOR more than a year now there have been six men on the court who could be counted upon, with almost unbroken regularity, to take the New Deal point of view in almost every case that came before them. There has been one who, with complete regularity, could be counted upon to take the opposite view, and there have been three whose views were not set in a mold and who were largely free from bias. The withdrawal of the solitary Mr. McReynolds simply means that soon there will be six New Dealers with fixed views on the court instead of five.

UNDILETTED New Dealism has been the prime requisite for selection to this bench since Mr. Roosevelt.

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WILLS \$250 BUT HER ESTATE INVENTORIES ONLY \$100, IT IS SAID

Emma L. Choyce, Falls Township, Directed Sum of \$250 Be Given Cemetery Co.

THE SWARTLEY ESTATE

P. Howard Swartley, Hilltown Township, Leaves Entire Estate To His Widow

Although Emma L. Choyce, Falls township, left a personal estate of only \$100, she directed in her will that the sum of \$250 be given to Riverview Cemetery Association in Trenton, N. J. Chester C. Waite and Mabel Waite, West Trenton avenue, Morrisville, were named the heirs. The will was executed July 26, 1932, and the testatrix died December 16, 1940.

The widow, Esther W. Swartley, was bequeathed the \$2,000 personal estate of her husband, P. Howard Swartley, Hilltown township, without reservation. Philip W. Swartley, Lansdale, and John W. Swartley, Line Lexington, were named the executors.

Letters of administration in the estate of Julia K. Bellerjeau, of Yardley, were granted to Nellie W. Haller, 3414 Wabash avenue, Baltimore, for the purpose of bringing a suit as the result of an accident in which the decedent was injured.

The survivors include a sister, Stella C. Lawson, 20 West State street, Trenton, N. J.; and two nieces, Agnes Keen, Glen Ridge, and Anna Keen Ewing, North Branch, N. J.

In the estate of Paul Hankel, Hilltown township, letters of administration were granted to Anna Hankel, Sellersville, amounting to a personal estate of \$1500 and real estate including 20 acres in Hilltown township. The widow, Anna Hankel, and a daughter, Helen, Sellersville, R. D., are the heirs.

Maggie L. Nash, Pipersville, R. D.,

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Five Hurt in 3 Accidents; Injuries Are All Slight

Five persons suffered injuries in three accidents during the week-end, according to reports from the Oxford Valley sub-station of Pennsylvania Motor Police. In one crash yesterday at Hulmeville four cars were involved; in an accident Friday night at Cornwells Heights a sedan and a bus were damaged; and on Friday evening near Morrisville a sedan overturned injuring two passengers.

In the accident yesterday noon which occurred on the Main street of Hulmeville, near the Methodist Church, a sedan operated by James H. Tate, Hulmeville, and a coach driven by Frank H. Kohn, also of that borough, were considerably damaged, the Tate machine having to be towed from the scene. A sedan driven by Edward J. Winder, Bristol R. D. 1, and a parked coach, owned by Jesse E. Daugherty, Hulmeville, had slightly dented fenders.

James H. Tate, Jr., aged 2 1/2 years, riding with his parents, was injured, he suffering a badly lacerated upper gum, with several teeth being loosened. His mother, Mrs. James H. Tate, sustained contusions of the forehead and a punctured wound of the right knee. The two were treated at the Parkland first aid station of Bucks County Rescue Squad.

According to records of the investigating officers, privates Lawler and Newton, Mr. Winder pulled out from a parked position on the East Side of Main street, the Kohn coach travelling North striking the left rear fender of the Winder machine, then shooting across the thoroughfare into the Tate car which was travelling in the opposite direction. The Tate car struck the left rear fender of the Daugherty car which was parked on the west side of the street. The windshield in the Tate car was considerably damaged, as well as the front of the machine. From the Kohn car the front bumper was torn loose, and other damage done. No arrests were made.

Irving Nuttall, Torresdale avenue, Philadelphia, suffered a laceration of the forehead and bruises of the left knee Friday night at 11:10, when his sedan is said to have crashed into the rear of a bus owned by Neihauer Bus Company, operated by Alexander McKay, of Oak Lane. The accident occurred on Route 13 at Cornwells Heights. The two vehicles were being operated in the direction of Philadelphia. Nuttall was treated at Nazareth Hospital, Philadelphia, and discharged. The crash is blamed on icy conditions which existed at the time. No arrests were made, the investigating officer being private Beckart. The bus was considerably damaged.

At 10:25 Friday night a sedan operated by Richard McFadyen, Markey street, Paterson, N. J., is said to have gotten out of control on the old Lincoln highway, 1/2-mile west of Morrisville, the machine turning over. Miss Ida Dennis, 20, and Tony Brons, 22, both of Paterson, were injured. The former had contusions of the right shoulder and left elbow, and also suffered from shock. Brons had contusions of the forehead. The investigating officer was C. A. Jones. Treatment was given the two at the Parkland first aid station.

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THE HITLER PATTERN

What Hitler may have in mind in the Mediterranean area is anybody's guess. But it is difficult to see how the two real objectives—closing the Suez Canal and the Straits of Gibraltar to the British—can be accomplished by aid raids on the British fleet. These two objectives can be reached and held only by the arrival of infantry there, just as Britain itself can be conquered only by throwing infantry across the Channel.

Mussolini had the original assignment to capture the Suez Canal. If he had accomplished it, probably Hitler would then have moved through Spain to Gibraltar. But Mussolini, after a flash in the pan performance along the Red Sea in Africa, flopped miserably when he tried to move in from the other direction and seize Egypt. The British have turned the tables on him and bid fair to drive him out of Africa altogether.

Spain shows no indications to flate of co-operating with Hitler in the seizure of Gibraltar. On the contrary, Spain seems to be resisting him and playing up to the countries which have food. What, then, can be the pattern of Hitler's future action in the Mediterranean? Is it to stake all on an advance of his army in Rumania through Bulgaria and Turkey and on to Suez? Lacking sea power, he would still have to close the Mediterranean at its Gibraltar end.

Hitler has never adopted such roundabout methods. His way is to thrust at the center of his opposition at a surprising time. No one can know what Hitler has in his mind but it is safe to say he is not going to march—or attempt to march—an army of conquest clear around the shores of the Mediterranean sea. When he strikes, it will be directly and with far more immediate results in mind.

RESIGNATION OF McREYNOLDS

With the resignation of Associate Justice James C. McReynolds from the United States Supreme Court, President Roosevelt will name his sixth appointee to the nation's highest tribunal. During his first administration there were no vacancies on the Supreme Court, but during his second term Mr. Roosevelt appointed five associate justices, a majority of the nine-man court. These appointees were Black, Frankfurter, Murphy, Douglas and Reed.

Only Chief Justice Hughes and Associate Justices Stone and Roberts of the present court membership were named by Mr. Roosevelt's predecessors. It is easily conceivable that before the end of his third term Mr. Roosevelt will have appointed all nine members of the court.

Mr. McReynolds, a native of Kentucky, was appointed a deputy United States attorney general by President Theodore Roosevelt in 1903. He was attorney general in President Wilson's cabinet before he was named to the Supreme Court in 1914. He voted against most of the New Deal acts that found their way to the Supreme Court. Two days before his resignation he joined Chief Justice Hughes and Justice Stone in dissenting from a (6 to 3) Supreme Court ruling invalidating a Pennsylvania state law requiring the registration of aliens.

Most of the prophets have never been able to learn how Connie Mack figured the Yankees to lose the League flag in '40 unless it's that Connie is a little odd and out of touch with things.

ECHOES OF THE PAST

By Courier Staff Member

Review of the news as it appeared in the Bucks County Gazette issue dated at Bristol May 1, 1879. The Gazette, a weekly newspaper published in Bristol, was discontinued following its merger with the Courier.

Professor Woodruff announces that special teachers' examinations in Bucks County will be held as follows, commencing at nine o'clock a. m.: Sellersville, May 10th; Doylestown, May 17th; Bristol, May 31st; Newtown, June 7th. These examinations will be confined to the higher branches of study, and will be open only to applicants and school directors. . . .

Bristol Weekly Times, of which Dr. C. P. Rose is publisher, and J. Wesley Cook, editor, was out last Saturday morning. For a first issue the paper presented a very fair appearance, and seemed to impress itself favorably upon the public. . . .

St. Mark's Church was crowded as it seldom has been before, on last Sunday afternoon, when the last rites over the remains of Michael Murray were performed with all solemnity characteristic to the services of the Catholic church. After a brief sermon by the Rev. Father Nagle, and the conclusion of the other services of the church, the body was followed to its last resting place by a large concourse of people.

Captain William J. Jones has been at work since last summer in building a scow, which will soon be ready to launch. The captain is an experienced and thorough ship builder, and the workmanship of this boat is no exception to the work he has previously done.

Charles York, assessor of the first ward, furnishes the following summary of the assessment: Total valuation, \$395,215; number of houses, 457; number of males over 21 years of age, 392; number of horses, 39; cows, 51; pleasure carriages, 7; gold watches, 21.

Mrs. Pennington, widow of the late Joseph Pennington, died on Sunday. Her funeral took place on Wednesday. She was buried in the Episcopal Churchyard.

John Wesszu, residing on Cedar street, is suffering from an attack of lock-jaw. . . .

Early this month an attempt will be made to navigate the Delaware River above tide water. The plan proposed is to run a steamer from the Delaware Water Gap to Port Jervis, N. Y., a distance of 40 miles, by John D. and Horatio Broadhead. These gentlemen have made a contract with Mr. Herreshoff, of Bristol R. I., who has agreed to deliver the steamer at the mouth of the Delaware on or before May 1. The boat under construction is 60 feet in length, six feet six inches wide in the centre, with very at bottom, sharp at both ends, and propelled by side wheels to a guaranteed speed of 14 miles an hour. Notwithstanding her extreme narrowness she will draw only 11 inches of water, therefore, it is believed, she will be able to pass up and down such a stream as the Delaware without much difficulty. The boat will have a comfortable capacity of about 100 passengers, and is intended to transport visitors up and down the river during the summer season. This will be the first attempt that has been made to navigate these waters since March 5, 1866, when a small steamboat, the "Alfred Thomas," was launched in the Delaware River at Snufftown, Pa. She was to go to Belvidere, N. J. The river was high and the steamer was unable to pass the island opposite the Bushkill, a small stream emptying into the Delaware at the upper end of Easton, Pa. Consequently, the boat was run on the island, and the boat

held until sufficient steam could be generated to take the steamer through the eddy. When the steam gauge indicated 125 pounds pressure, the wheels were put in motion, and just as she backed off the island and started up the stream the boiler exploded, killing six persons and wounding 15 other passengers. The explosion was the result of a sudden generation of steam. The boiler, owing to the boat being tipped at one end, was free of water in one end, and this end, consequently, became red hot. When the boat was backed off the island, the water, seeking its level, rushed to the red-hot end of the boiler, and was instantly converted into steam, causing instant explosion. The week following the disaster was a melancholy one, funeral after funeral of the victims of the explosion being attended by great crowds of friends and relatives.

The Great Game of Politics

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velt began to make appointments. That is why he has today five unshakable New Deal justices whose position on cases involving New Deal legislation can be accurately forecast in advance. That is why, very shortly, he will have six such justices. Those best informed on such things agree that Attorney General Robert H. Jackson is very likely to be the new justice. They would regard his appointment as certain but for the unexpected aspirations of Senator James F. Byrnes, of South Carolina, which were urged upon the President last week by a committee of Mr. Byrnes' Senatorial friends.

PROBABLY Mr. Jackson will get the place, but not if the President makes the appointment on the basis of what he owes to the two men. To Mr. Jackson clearly there is no obligation. Mr. Roosevelt has given him everything he has had in the way of public position—first, Assistant Attorney General, then Solicitor General and then Attorney General. If it had not been for Mr. Roosevelt, Mr. Jackson

told him, to his face, what I started to say to you. Why these men can't afford to make one mistake when we send them where they are to go!

His anger vanished and when next Von Wallenfels spoke it was in his usual even monotone. "I wish you good morning, gentlemen. You, at least, I can trust to perform your duties well."

The General continued his tour of inspection and visited a number of airy rooms in which dozens of men were sitting at desks arranged as in a class-room.

In one of these the lecturer paused when the Intelligence chief entered, all the men in the class jumping to their feet.

"Continue with your lecture, Herr Professor," the General nodded. "What is the subject?"

"Pronunciation."

"Now, gentlemen, we will take the 'o,' announced the instructor. He turned to the blackboard and wrote upon it "Sehr Schon."

Swinging round to his class, he directed, "Pronounce that, Number Seven."

Immediately a little man with a large nose sprang to his feet and said, "Sehr schon, Herr Professor."

The lecturer shook his head. "That is correct German pronunciation, Number Seven. Please be good enough to remember what you have been told about the 'o.' It must be widened. You must not purse your lips. You must narrow your mouth.

In the middle vowel a little grey-bearded man in spectacles was taking his class in a different subject. Once more General von Wallenfels waited for a few moments to listen to the instruction.

"And now," cried the lecturer, waving his spectacles towards the front row of desks, "You, sir, Number Four."

Number Four came to his feet and, in the presence of the General, stood to attention. Von Wallenfels interrupted to say, "Stand at ease, man. There is too much of the appearance of rigid discipline about and blared in Heindrich's face, 'What is your name?'"

"Emil Ginsberg."

"What were your parents' names?" roared the General.

"Hermann and . . ."

The man cast agonized glances to left and right as he floundered just before the General's hand struck him a stinging blow across the face.

"Your mother's name, swine!" "Rebecca," replied the man, his eyes nearly starting from his head.

"Where were you born?" snarled von Wallenfels.

"In . . . in . . ."

"You impossible dumb-head!" roared the General. "Get back to your barracks! See that you have your answers ready by this afternoon!"

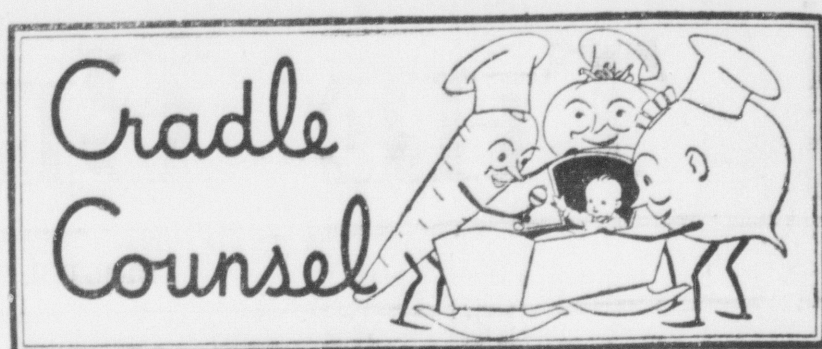
"If you can't answer the Herr Reichminister smoothly you will hang on the wheel of a gun for forty-eight hours!"

When the humiliated "dumb-head" had been dismissed, the General turned a blood-sufficed face to the theatre staff. "What material they give me to work with! However, I must treat them as volunteers. That is the Führer's wish. If I had my way . . . Von Wallenfels lapsed into silence.

"General," said one of the surgeons speaking with great diffidence, "is it wise to question the Führer's wishes?"

"Donner und blitzen!" shouted the General. "Do you think I fear the Führer? Surely I do serve the Führer because he has given Germany back to herself, but I have

Prince Max of Wallenfels rose to



By FRANCES PECK



GROWING UP SIGNS

One of the joys of parenthood is watching and marveling at the baby's development from day to day. There are his first smile—his first word—and his first strained food to celebrate. Then comes the day his first tooth is discovered and when he gets a few more teeth you make an occasion of his graduation to the almost-grown-up stage where he is given chopped foods.

Certain of these gala days bring new responsibilities to the mother, of course. Introducing the new strained cereals, fruits and vegetables is a task requiring particular care because with them. Since the first experience with them, the mother and later health, one must make an effort to teach him to enjoy their flavors. Also, his introduction to the chopped foods which are intermediate between his strained foods and the family fare, must be carefully planned so it is connected in his mind with a pleasant situation for it is at this time he learns to chew.

Necessary considerations in introducing these new foods to the baby are fine quality and flavor. Also, since you depend on the strained and chopped foods to provide the baby with vitamins and minerals that build a strong body and help keep him healthy, they must be foods prepared with extra care. For these reasons, more and more doctors are recommending the use of the prepared strained and chopped foods which come in cans and need only to be heated before serving.

Though one can get these foods ready for the child with the usual home kitchen equipment, the special equipment which prepares the food assures the retention of minerals that are precious, and the absence of air in the process preserves the vitamins to the greatest extent possible. Further proof of the extra value of these strained and chopped foods is that they are made from products harvested at

their most perfect state of development immediately upon their removal from the fields. This assures delicious freshness of flavor and thus helps the baby enjoy his first fruits and vegetables the more.

The age at which the child should be given either the strained or the chopped foods is a question which the doctor in charge should decide. Some babies can take small amounts of any of the strained foods at four months, while others might be sensitive to them. In the case of the chopped foods, the tooth development and the aptitude of the child in his attempts to chew may have something to do with the time he may be served them. The starting age for chopped foods will usually vary between 12 and 18 months, depending upon the doctor's advice.

Both are given gradually at first. The strained food is diluted with water or milk so the change from the liquid diet will not be too abrupt, then the proportion of liquid is decreased by degrees. The baby may start with a teaspoon of the strained food given at one of the feeding times during the day, then this amount should be increased until he gets a full 4 1/2-ounce tin per day.

One may start feeding the chopped food by mixing a small amount of it with the strained food of similar flavor until he becomes accustomed to the feel of the coarser particles. After that the proportion of the chopped food is gradually increased. The chopped foods come in large cans, holding 6 1/2 ounces, because by the time the baby is getting these he is eating a greater quantity at one time.

Fortunately, both the prepared strained and prepared chopped foods offer an excellent variety to the baby. There are 14 different kinds of strained foods—2 soups, 8 strained vegetables, one strained cereal and 3 strained fruits. Among the chopped foods are a lamb and liver combination, a cereal, vegetable and chicken combination, 4 creamed vegetables, 2 chopped vegetables without the cream sauce and one mixture of chopped vegetables besides 3 fruit desserts. Thus you have ample opportunity to teach a child to like a great variety of delicious foods which are specially good for him with the result that you have few feeding problems as he grows up.

would still be a successful corporation lawyer, in a small way, in Jamestown, N. Y. True, he has served Mr. Roosevelt well, both politically and as a Cabinet officer. No one has denounced the "greedy rich" more violently and no Attorney General could be more willing to provide opinions to suit the needs of the moment. But all that was in his own interests as well as the President's. With no desire to disparage his unquestioned ability and generally attractive qualities, still it was the President who made him.

BUT that isn't the case at all with Senator Byrnes. Senator Byrnes has made himself as a public man. He served seven terms in the House of Representatives and is now serving his second term in the Senate. Mr. Roosevelt has not helped him politically, but he has helped Mr. Roosevelt, not only in his three campaigns for President but very greatly in the Senate, where his popularity, astuteness and energy have given him great influence. The stage has been reached where he is the President's chief reliance in the Senate, and he is generally looked upon as the real Administration leader there.

PERSONALLY, Mr. Roosevelt has expressed great fondness for Senator Byrnes, and in view of his obligations it will be difficult to turn him down. Particularly is this so when it is known that Senator Byrnes—as did several others—went out to Chicago last July with very good reasons for believing himself to be Mr. Roosevelt's choice for the Vice-Presidency. It is true that Mr. Byrnes has not been the slavish type of New Dealer. He does not swallow everything whole, in the way of a Minion or a Pepper. Nor is he as worshipful as Mr. Jackson. But he has saved the President from more than one devastating legislative defeat—and in the coming struggle over the lend-lease bill he is more nearly indispensable to the Presi-

dent than anyone else in the Senate.

NEVERTHELESS, Mr. Jackson is the darling of the New Deal group. He is closer to Mr. Roosevelt than almost anyone save Mr. Hopkins, and there will be deep disappointment in the inner circle if he fails to land. His Administration friends even have scheduled him to succeed Mr. Hughes as Chief Justice—If and when the latter resigns. How that idea will fare with the little group of Left Wing "advanced thinkers" who, in reverent tones, refer to Mr. Frankfurter as the Justice, it will be interesting to see. It isn't likely to be popular with them.

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SOCIAL EVENTS

ACTIVITIES

Miss Laura M. Cameron Is
Wed To Lt. H. E. Thompson

NEWPORTVILLE, Jan. 27.—In Ed-dington Presbyterian Church on Satur-day afternoon, at 3.30 o'clock, Miss Laura M. Cameron, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Cameron, became the bride of Lieutenant Howard E. Thompson, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. Thompson, Trenton, N. J.

The officiating clergyman was the Rev. Arthur D. Sargis, pastor of the church. The bride was given in marriage by her father.

The organist was Mrs. Walter B. Kirk, Andalusia, who played a prelude of organ music, and who sang "I Love You Truly" (Bond), and "O Promise Me" (DeKoven). She also played wedding marches by Lohengrin and Mendelssohn.

The maid of honor was Miss Virginia Cameron, sister of the bride; and the best man Mr. Fred Thompson, brother of the groom. The ushers included Messrs. Carroll H. Hoagland and Albert Duzash, Trenton, N. J.

The bride was attired in ivory satin. The tight-fitting bodice featured a high neck-line, and long sleeves. The skirt was floor length and ended in a train. Her tulle veil of finger-tip length, formed a cap-shaped headpiece, adorned with daisies-of-the-valley. She wore white slippers, white gloves, and carried a bouquet of white roses.

The maid of honor was attired in a periwinkle blue satin gown, featuring a sweetheart neck-line, elbow length sleeves; and the flared skirt was floor length. She wore a shoulder veil, with a halo of flowers, blue slippers, white gloves, and carried a bouquet of pink rose buds.

Immediately following the ceremony, a reception was held at the Holmesburg Country Club for 25 guests. The newly-weds then left for a honeymoon trip to New York, the bride travelling in a mixed brown dress, with brown coat, and brown accessories. On their return, they will reside in Morris-town, N. J.

The bride has resided in Newportville practically all her life, and graduated from Bristol high school. She was employed by Sears, Roebuck and Company, Phila. The groom is a member of the 112th Field Artillery of National Guard of New Jersey.

In a Personal Way -

INTERESTING bits of news mainly about people you know. A chronicle of the activities of the people of Bristol; their goings and comings . . .

To arrange for publication of weddings, telephone The Bristol Courier, Bristol 846, notifying at least a few days in advance the date of ceremony. Engagement announcements must be submitted in writing.

Mrs. Harrison Douglass, Cedar street, spent the past week with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Winchester Douglass, Ambler.

Miss Katharine Booth, Miss Margaret V. Barrett, Mrs. Theresa Gavegan, Paul Barrett, Beaver street, and Joseph Murphy, Jefferson avenue, attended the funeral of a relative in Philadelphia on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Summers and family spent the week-end visiting relatives in Morrisville.

Miss Olive Whyatt, Wilson avenue, and Miss Viola Smedberg, East Rutherford, N. J., left Saturday for three weeks' vacation in Florida.

Francis Ciotti, Jefferson avenue, has enlisted in the United States Navy and left for Norfolk, Va., where he is to be

Today's Quiet Moment

(By Howard L. Zepp, Th. M.)

Father, again and again we have been tempted to give up, but always the vision of that strange Man hanging upon a cross drives us back to our tasks. We thank Thee that Jesus was no idle theorist; we rejoice to know that He tested the validity of His own teachings by first living them Himself. We pay tribute to the high way in which He faced life. Give us like courage that we too may live triumphantly. Amen.

Paul White, Sr., New Buckley street, has been confined to his home for three weeks by illness.

For the past three weeks, Mrs. Arthur Ludwig, New Buckley street, has been ill.

Savina Liberatore and Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Liberatore and family, Baltimore, Md., were guests during the past week of Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Pagliano, Jefferson avenue.

Miss Gladys Weik returned to the State Teachers College in West Chester, after several days' vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Weik, Pond street and West Circle.

Frank Mignone, a student at Pennsylvania State College, and Carman Mignone, a student at the State Teachers College at Millersburg, have been spending the past week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Mignone, Mill street.

Mr. and Mrs. David Norman, Mill street, have returned from a week's vacation in Lakewood, N. J., and two days in New York City.

Mrs. Frank Plum, Oster street, spent a day last week visiting Miss Cecelia Shibe, West Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. William Deight, Cedar street, were visitors of relatives in Camden, N. J., last week.

ON THE SCREENS

GRAND THEATRE
The music of Noel Coward, without doubt some of the most charming ever to reach the screen, finds its perfect interpreters in Jeanette MacDonald and Nelson Eddy, the incomparable song team united again in the picturization of the Coward operetta, "Bitter Sweet," which opened last night at the Grand Theatre.

The stars were never in better voice and never sang in a more colorful setting, for the Gay Nineties period in which the story is set is brilliantly

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BRISTOL THEATRE

"Second Chorus," starring Fred Astaire and his new dance partner, Paulette Goddard, arrived last night at the Bristol Theatre, and let it be said that it's right "in the groove" jiving, as one of the best comedies seen hereabouts in quite some time.

Miss Goddard and Astaire are charming together. The beautiful Miss Goddard, of course, has been hiding her dancing talent under a bushel all these years, and when she's in Astaire's arms going through the "Dig It," which will probably be America's next dance craze, you wonder why it took so long for that talent to be discovered. Astaire's frolicsome feet are still the cleverest and most nimble which ever cut a rug on the screen, as far as we're concerned.

RITZ THEATRE

"She'll do more to strengthen Pan-American relations than anything that has been done in ten years."

That's the consensus of critical opinion about torrid-voiced Carmen Miranda who made her American debut in the Broadway smash, "The Streets of Paris." Since then Carmen's stock has soared even higher, for she is featured with Don Ameche and Betty Grable in the Technicolor musical extravaganza, "Down Argentine Way," the 20th Century-Fox picture which is coming today to the Ritz Theatre.

Snow and Ice on Roads
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tires, making them more susceptible to blow-outs after much operation under reduced pressure.

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"On wet and even dry pavements, always anticipate ice on bridges, in shaded spots, around curves and over hills, and when thawing temperatures are dropping. On ice, start by releasing the clutch slowly with the engine idling and the car in second gear, and accelerate cautiously to avoid spinning rear wheels.

"Without chains or sand on an icy road it is unsafe to overtake vehicles unless the road ahead is clear for a half mile. Pump the brakes in stopping, even with chains, to prevent wheels from locking and sliding on rubber between cross links. Slow down in gear to about ten miles an hour, then release the clutch for the final stop. Keep a steady foot on the accelerator to avoid spinning the rear wheels. If a skid starts, turn the front wheels in direction the rear is skidding—if possible.

"When it is slippery, try out the brakes occasionally to get the feel of the road. Maintain adequate vision through windshield windows. Circulate fresh air by opening cowl ventilator, rather than side windows, which in old cars tends to suck exhaust gases through floor boards."

For pedestrians, Transeau advised the following when snow and ice prevail:

"Walk slowly and carefully, a fall may incapacitate you for weeks. Don't rely on ability of the motorist to stop on snow and ice. If he makes no ef-

fort to give you free pass, go, don't try to beat him across the street. Hold onto railings or be very careful in mounting or descending icy steps."

FASHION PARADE

By Orry-Kelly

(Famous Hollywood Stylist Writing For International News Service)

HOLLYWOOD—(INS)—One doesn't have to take a lengthy cruise with any of the four winds to wear a natty nautical outfit these days. Sea-going clothes are the choice of smart women everywhere and for every occasion.

It's a cruel jest that something as unhappy as a war can produce so many happy thoughts in fashion. Rather a paradox, too, that while more than many of the Hollywood stars work on "Bundles for Britain" they're wearing ensembles that stress a thought they'd really like to forget. But it is a trend that everyone likes. Many garments are bright with emblems, others suggest the navy in color and cut.

Newer slacks have a "bell-bottom" look while accompanying jackets fall in line with bell-bottom sleeves that invariably give a graceful turn to wrists and hands. Yachting caps are so popular that the general silhouette will be seen in street and evening clothes. A little hat in black wool with black patent visor! reproducing the

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yacht cap is Ann Sothorn's choice to top off a black wool tailored coat with white braid chevrons.

The middy-blouse dinner gown is another example. Done in rich navy tulle with middy top and flared dinner skirt it's complete to sailor collar and white sequin "braid and stars."

Brenda Marshall also favors the navy in a resort dress with two changes of skirt, for day and evening. Navy blue skirt and bolero and white crepe blouse are fired with a broad red girdle and three red chevrons on the left sleeve. Brenda admits she's gone "overboard" for military clothes. In addition to the described outfit, she numbers among such garb an ensemble consisting of plaid navy wool skirt, white cashmere sweater and white flannel jacket piped in navy, copied from a dress worn in "Footsteps in the Dark."

But not all frocks are in the standard military shades. A black crepe dinner gown with elbow length sleeves, worn by Mary Astor to the recent art exhibition and reception held here, had a chevron emblem on one sleeve and a chevron pocket on the skirt both done in Irish green silk braid outlined with small white beads and crystals.

COSTLY LAPSE OF MEMORY

PLAINVIEW, Tex.—(INS)—Wanda Adams suddenly remembered she had left a Christmas package at a store and stepped out of her car to go back

and got it. Instead she went to the hospital. She had forgotten that at the time the car was at the top of a hydraulic grease rack.

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DESCENDANTS OF "MAN OF WAR" ARE IN TRAINING HERE

Two Yearlings by "Identify"
Are Now Owned By
Thomas Doron

HAVE YET TO BE NAMED

"Identify's" Get Account For
Five Winners Thus Far,
It Is Stated

A Bristol follower of the turf, Thomas Doron, Beaver street, is at present having his two prized yearlings by "Identify," a son of "Man o' War," trained for what he hopes will be a grand and glorious future. The two are committed to the care of Dr. E. J. Laing, at his Newport Road stables, with Dr. Laing planning to take them to the track for racing later this year.

The daily training occurs at the Laing estate, where it is stated a half-mile training track is to be built.

Mr. Doron purchased the yearlings last October. These two are by "Identify," states the owner, who adds:

"He was foaled in 1931 and is out of 'Footprint' by 'Imported Grand Parade.' While racing he won 12 races and purses totalling \$39,925. He is at stud at the famous Sagamore Farm, owned by Alfred G. Vanderbilt. Last year 'Identify's' get accounted for five winners, and this is remarkable considering it the first year in which a three-year-old colt of his was racing. This year thus far, they have accounted for three wins.

"One of the yearlings is a colt out of 'Refusal' by 'Imported Star Shoot.' This mare has been a good producer. The colt is a chestnut with fine conformation. The other is a chestnut filly out of 'Stepping Star' by 'Sir Barton.' 'Sir Barton' will be remembered as a winner of the Kentucky Derby, Preakness, Belmont, Withers, and other important stakes.

"By reason of the rule in horse racing that on January 1st all horses become automatically one year older, they are now two-year-olds.

"They have not been named as yet, but will be soon by Mrs. Doron and Mrs. Laing, who also will designate the racing colors. Whilst it is too early to say definitely what their prospects are, it is Dr. Laing's opinion that they are two champions in the bud."

KNIGHTS WILL TRY TO BREAK INTO WIN COLUMN

Defeated twice in the second half, the Knights of Columbus team will attempt to break into the win column tonight when it lines up against the Robins and Haas five on the Mutual A floor. In the second game, Voltz-Texaco meets the Profy team.

The Knights have the mood that Franklin had when it stopped the chemical workers. The Casesy feel that if Franklin did it so can they. The Radcliffe street clan dropped both their games by close margins and feel confident that they can beat the first half champions.

Manager Johnny Kling shook up his line-up in the last contest and would have won the game but for the fact that his boys played the entire second half with four players. Plebani leaving the game because of fouls. At the time Plebani was leading the team in scoring.

Manager Kling added several players to his list before the deadline was up and feels that he has enough capable players to give the best team in the circuit a good fight. Besides Plebani he will start Seneca, Chewning, Roberts and Lake. Lake made good in his comeback trial last week.

The Robins and Haas team lost a bit of prestige when stopped by Franklin and are out to redeem themselves. Manager Cole will start Roe, Cahall, Everitt, Vanzant and Smith. Everitt and Cahall are deadlocked for the league's leadership in individual scoring.

The second encounter promises to be a hard-fought contest. The Voltz team is determined not to fold up in the second half. Most of the gasoliers' games have been lost when they failed to hold up in the second twenty minutes but tonight may be a different story.

The Profy team is undefeated in the second half and there may be an upset here. The Radlomen are out to capture the second half and also stop the Voltz team which almost beat them in the first half.

First game will get under way at eight o'clock sharp.

CROYDON REX DEFEATS SOUTHWARK HOCKEY TEAM

CROYDON, Jan. 27.—Croydon Rex hockey team defeated Southwark A. C. by the score of 4 to 2 last evening at Croydon Roller Rink. Although there were five players absent due to injuries and illness the Rex made a fine showing. Southwark played a very fine game they were unable to overcome the lead Croydon Rex obtained in the first period by scoring 2 goals, and again scoring in the final period.

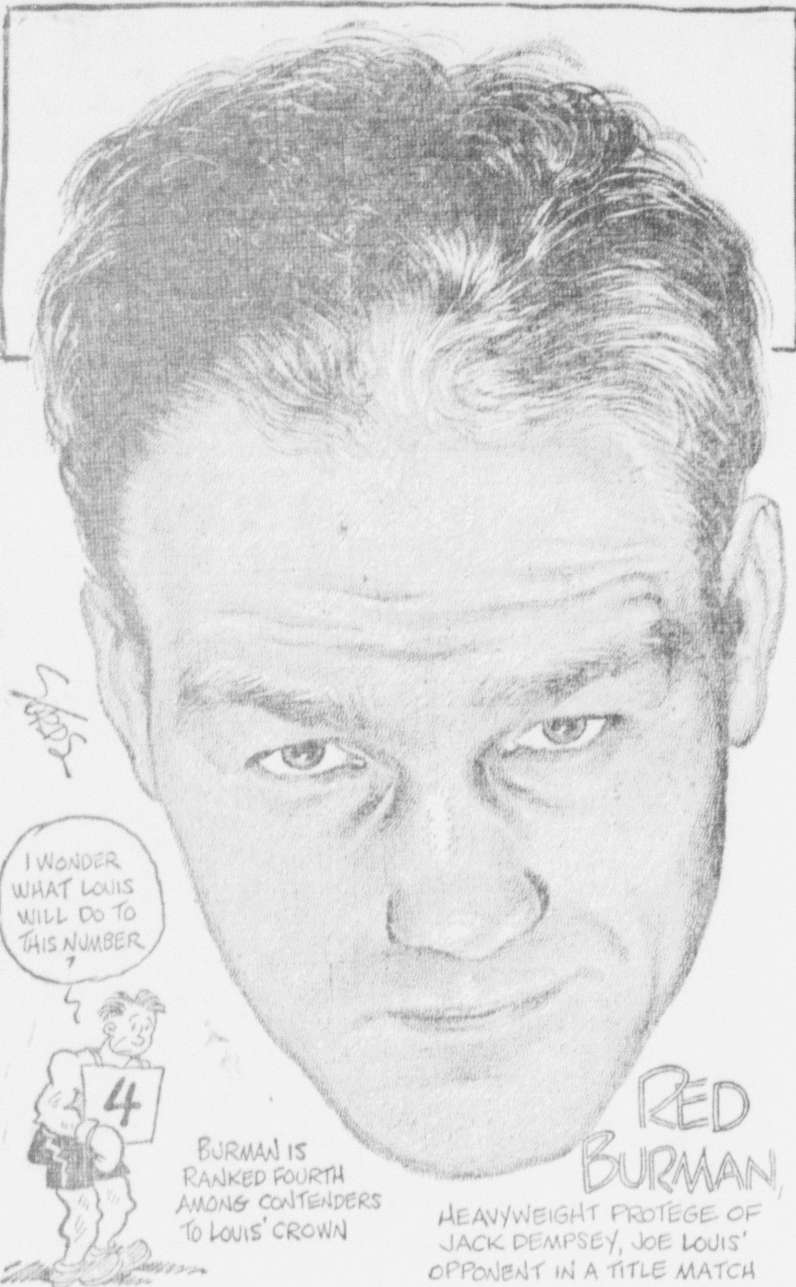
The Rex consists of all amateur players with the exception of one experienced player.

Rex
Strickler.....goalie
Lachman.....R. D.....Bell
Hesler.....L. D.....Henderson
Jester.....C.....Devlin
J. Ritter.....R. W.....Weldner
Haworth.....L. W.....Nichols
Score by periods:
Rex.....3 0 1—4
Southwark.....0 1 1—2
Rex points scored by: Haworth 2, Bachman 1, Jester 1, Southwark point scored by Devlin 1, Nichols 1.

Alternates: Rex—Connelly, Nori, McMullin, Southwark—Trout, Salvi.

Courier Classified Ads bring results and costs very little.

LOUIS' FOE - - - By Jack Sords



\$279,000 Budget Is Set By Perkasio Council

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\$15,110 has been set aside for this work. Health and Sanitation will require \$1525 and General Government will cost \$1996. \$700 was earmarked for recreation and \$3000 for miscellaneous expenses. Included in the latter is the borough's share of the incompleting Federal WPA projects here. In 1940, \$20,588 was spent on borough streets and \$12,500 was transferred from the Electric to the Borough Department. The anticipated revenues for the General Fund were based on a ten mill tax rate, the same as in the past year.

The Electric Light Department budget was based on anticipated revenue from all sources of \$245,697.37. The anticipated receipts for the sale of current is \$95,000. Anticipated operating and maintenance costs were fixed at \$58,150. The actual operating and maintenance costs in 1940 were \$53,337.27.

Debt service in 1941 will cost the department \$159,545, which included the retirement of short term loans; while \$18,000 has been designated for the sinking fund, recently set up to retire the bond issue and \$2100 will be required to pay interest and state taxes.

Five thousand dollars of the proposed expenditures was allotted for capital outlay. \$3000 to be transferred to the borough department and \$15,000 to be applied to depreciation leaving an unappropriated balance of \$5002.37.

The 1941 budget of \$56,000 was exceeded in the actual expenses by nearly \$3000 but this represents the salary paid to William Murphy by direction of the County Courts. In many items the actual costs were lower than the provisions in the budget.

First Aid Classes To Graduate Forty-Eight

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have completed the course of instruction, and diplomas to those graduating to higher classifications. Classes from this area and nearby New Jersey towns are included.

The students have been attending training school at the local first aid station since September, they representing the mid-year class.

It is planned to open a new series of first aid courses soon, these to continue until June.

Georgene S. VanCourt To Instruct In Bridge

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At present Mrs. Van Court is conducting adult bridge classes at Friends Central School, Overbrook, and Yeadon high school; and is coaching the bridge team of Tredyffrin Country Club. In the past she has coached the bridge teams of the Aranomink, Llanerch, and Springhaven Golf Clubs; has had classes as large as 80 men and women at the Old York Road Country Club, Women's City Club, University of Pennsylvania Faculty Club (women), and Lansdowne Country Club (women). In addition, she is the owner and director of the Beechwood Bridge Club.

Registrations for the classes will be received at the high school or at the homes of members of the board of directors of the Bristol Adult School and of the registration committee. Registrations must be made promptly because facilities may be limited.

Wills \$250 But Her Estate Inventories \$100, It Is Said

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NO. 1, was granted the letters of administration in the estate of William C.

Nash, Plumstead township, amounting to a personal estate of \$1400 and real estate in that township. The heirs include the widow, who was named the administratrix; a son, Clarence; four daughters, Nora Wagner, Olive Peterman, Ethel Wasser and Beatrice Roth-enberger.

In the estate of Silas Beerbower Dublin, letters of administration were granted to Paul Beerbower, Washington Crossing, amounting to a personal estate of \$8100 and real estate in Dublin and Philadelphia. The heirs include a widow, Effie; two sons, Paul, Washington Crossing, and Clarence Bristol, and a daughter, Beatrice R. Freeland, Philadelphia.

Letters of administration in the estate of Mrs. Mary W. Fretz, of "Maplehurst," Doylestown township, well-known Bucks county society woman who died December 12th, were granted to a son, A. Henry Fretz, 42 West Market street, Bethlehem.

The personal estate was valued at \$15,000 and the real estate included a beautiful estate, "Maplehurst," along the Lackawanna Trail, south of this place; and holdings in Glenside and Edison.

The \$8,000 personal and \$2,000 real estate holdings of Sarah Ann Hartzell, Sellersville, will be inherited by seven children with reservations. Christ Reformed Church, Indian Creek, Franconia township, was bequeathed \$200 in trust to provide care for a family plot. Two sons, Reuben H. Hartzell, of North Wales, and Maurice H. Hartzell, Chester, were named the executors. The residue of the estate will be shared equally by seven children. The real estate included a property at 68 Fairview avenue, Sellersville.

Man Drops Dead As He Walks To Employment

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Running outside Miss Fenton, asked Mr. Doan what the trouble was. He raised one arm and as he did so, Miss Fenton grabbed him to prevent him from falling. He died instantly.

The deceased was well known throughout the third ward where he had resided all his life. He is survived by one brother, William H. Doan.

Mr. Doan suffered an attack about two weeks ago but it was thought that he had recovered.

Deputy coroner, Dr. Charles F. Samsel was summoned.

Traffic Moves Slowly Over Slippery Roads

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ing was 26, the mercury in that time not reaching higher than 35 degrees.

Public service companies experienced no trouble with their lines due to the snowfall, and representatives stated that none was expected unless the snow should melt, then freeze on the wires. Service was unhampered, they reported.

The proceed-with-caution signal was hoisted today for motorists and pedestrians alike in Pennsylvania as winter took a firmer grip on the state and spread another heavy layer of snow on streets and highways still covered with the residue of last Friday's storm.

Most air traffic came to a standstill over the week-end, and motorists found driving an extremely hazardous task. Long-distance buses were running behind schedule.

More snow was the forecast for today, from Pittsburgh to Philadelphia, to be followed by a drop in temperature as the cold wave rolled eastward. In Philadelphia, an army of several thousand shovel-wielders were busy cleaning the heaviest snowfall of the winter. While only one fatality was recorded in the Philadelphia area, minor accidents were frequent on slippery streets. The victim, Paul Czarny, 35, was struck by an automobile amid swirling snow.

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FRONT SEAT HEADROOM	39½"	1¼" less	1½" less
WINDSHIELD AREA	700 sq. in.	37sq.in. less	87sq.in. less
FRONT DOOR WIDTH	35½"	1¼" less	2" less
SPRINGBASE	125"	8¾" less	3½" less

BUCKS COUNTY SALES & SERVICE
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Latest News

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Willkie Assures London He Represents No One

London, Jan. 27.—Wendell Willkie made it emphatically clear today that he did not come to London as a representative of President Roosevelt. "I am here strictly as a private citizen and have nothing to do with the government," he said.

"In fact, the people of the U. S. decided last November I should have nothing to do with the government."

German Planes Fly Over East Anglia

London, Jan. 27.—German war planes flew over East Anglia during the night out London and other British cities passed their seventh consecutive night of respite from Nazi raids, authorities said today.

British Closing In On Derna, Is Report

Cairo, Jan. 27.—With a total of 25,000 Italians now taken at Tobruk, British forces in Africa attacked relentlessly on all fronts today, closing in rapidly on Derna and on the key Fascist defense post of Agordat in Eritrea.

An official communique covering operations in the last 24 hours disclosed that in addition to the 25,000 prisoners, 22 medium tanks and 28 light tanks were taken together with large quantities of arms and ammunition when the Italians collapsed at Tobruk.

"In Eritrea our forces are closing in on enemy positions about Agordat and Barentu," the bulletin stated. "The enemy yesterday evacuated Unm Hagar. The retreating Italian column is being closely pursued. Operations in the Derna area are developing satisfactorily."

More than 1,100 Italians already have been taken prisoner in Eritrea, the communique said.

"Operations in the Metemma area of Abyssinia are progressing. Further patriot successes are reported from the interior. In Italian Somaliland, successful encounters are reported by our patrols."

The steady advance on Agordat broke the second Italian defense line

HULMEVILLE

The sum of \$22 was cleared at the bake sale which the Ladies' Aid Society conducted in Neshaminy Methodist Church on Friday.

Members of her club will be entertained tomorrow evening by Mrs. C. Wesley Haefner.

Kenneth Conly, South Langhorne, will be host this evening at his home to members of the Neshaminy Methodist Sunday School board, at their monthly meeting. Tomorrow evening at the residence of Christian Tomlin-game but they were unable to over-son, Langhorne, the official board will hold a postponed session.

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